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RESPONSE

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed August 17, 2007, on the above-referenced patent application, Applicant(s) respectfully request reconsideration of the application.

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